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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of

Helmut SCHWAB et al.

Serial No. 10/046,232

Filed January 16, 2002

NEW GENES CONTAINING A DNA  
SEQUENCE CODING FOR  
HYDROXYNITRILE LYASE,  
RECOMBINANT PROTEINS DERIVED  
THEREFROM AND HAVING  
HYDROXYNITRILE LYASE ACTIVITY,  
AND USE THEREOF

: Confirmation No. 3440

: Attorney Docket No. 2001-1882A

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**REQUEST FOR REFUND**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

S I R:

Applicants respectfully request a refund of \$86 for a PTO fee improperly charged to the undersigned attorney's deposit account on June 7, 2004. The \$86 fee (i.e., the cost for one extra independent claim) was an overcharge by the PTO for claims added in the response filed June 7, 2004. Applicants' deposit account was charged \$258 for three (3) independent extra claims. The PTO should have only charged \$172 for two (2) extra independent claims, as that is the correct number of extra independent claims.

Kindly credit the refund of \$86 to Deposit Account no. 23-0975.

Respectfully submitted,

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NEW GENES CONTAINING A DNA SEQUENCE CODING  
FOR HYDROXYNITRILE LYASE, RECOMBINANT PROTEINS  
DERIVED THEREFROM AND HAVING HYDROXYNITRILE  
LYASE ACTIVITY, AND USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2004, the period for response having  
been extended for two months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein  
provide the following amendments and remarks.

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